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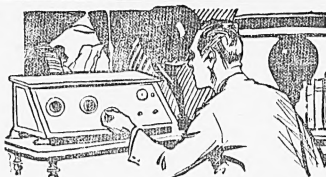
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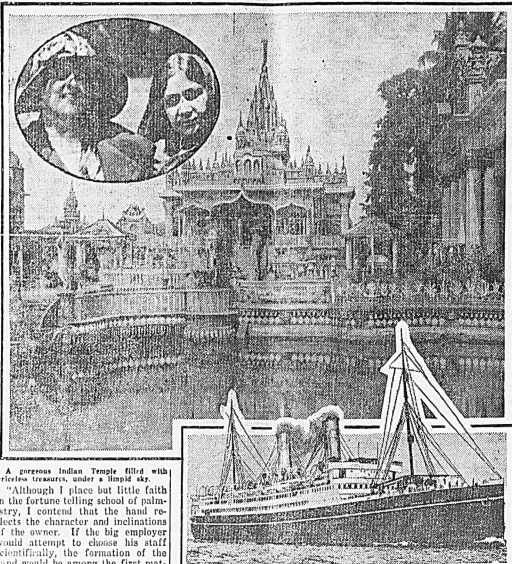
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In India, Mrs. Mumford found the temples of unparalleled beauty of architecture; palaces of nobles which for lavish splendour and extravagant expenditure are unequalled in the annals of the West; dream edifices of ivory white built on the banks of sacred lakes.

In all the temples of the Orient, astrology was established and recognized as the ancient and honorable

The S.S. "Empress of France," which made the round-the-world cruise last year.

The "Empress of France" is making the cruise this coming winter. Science of knowing the past and foretelling the future. Palmistry is usually looked upon as little better than beggars who would tell a tourist almost anything for some silver.

But Mrs. Mumford was interested in palmistry and in the enchanting city of Peking she met the Blind Chinaman. Looked up to as a prophet, a sage, or oracle, the great men of the East deemed it an honor to be received by him. In the beautiful garden behind his home, the Great Palmist gave readings only at the noon hour. Mrs. Mumford related that he analyzed her character and predilections with a depth far greater than that of any palmist she had ever encountered.

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This year hundreds of tourists will leave New York on December 8, bound for strange lands on board the Canadian Pacific liner "Empress of France." Many will learn the thrill of having their hearts read by the Blind Chinaman; see for themselves the works of a past civilization in many respects far greater than the present; marvel at the deep, far-reaching philosophy of the Orient seeking expression in the symbolic architecture of the homes of priests and princes.

The inhibition of the caries and awards has, however, taken longer than usual owing to irregularities in a number of the reports.

The winners of the prizes, which are all in money, are schools, individual school pupils, farmers, and members of game protective associations. In general, the competition was conducted along the same lines as last year, and Hon. George Harding, minister of agriculture, expressed satisfaction with the result, and is convinced that agricultural and game protective benefits will follow.

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The total number of birds, animals and eggs destroyed are given as follows: crows and magpies, 58,274; crows' and magpies' eggs, 76,002; gophers, 155,525. These figures are considerably lower than in last year's competition, naturally as a result of

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## MANY MATTERS DEALT WITH AT CONVENTION

Calgary, Dec. 8.—Spirited discussion of the proposed bill that will provide for the equalization of urban assessment, during which Mayor Hardie of Lethbridge, gave expression to a frank criticism of the board of utility commissioners, marked the final session of the twenty-first annual convention of the Union of Alberta Municipalities on Thursday afternoon.

Mayor H. J. Montgomery of Wetaskiwin, was elected president for the ensuing year, and Edmonton was chosen as the next meeting place of the union.

The discussion of the assessment bill was marked by support from Calgary, Red Deer and Wetaskiwin delegates and opposition from representatives of Drumheller, Edmonton and Lethbridge. It was agreed finally to endorse the bill, with the proviso that any municipality would have the option of remaining outside of its provisions.

Mayor Hardie, in opposing the bill, which provides that the utilities board shall be the body of final appeal to assessments, said that Lethbridge wanted to have as little to do with the board as possible. "They have already cost us enough money," he said.

The final session opened with a paper by Mayor Dr. G. H. Wade, of Hanna, on health problems in the smaller urban centres. Dr. Wade argued that health control can best be worked out by the appointment of medical health officers who would have control of enlarged areas, in much the same way as the school inspection is now carried out.

His address resulted in the passage of the following resolution: "Resolved that in the opinion of this convention, the health in the small urban and rural municipalities would be better looked after if the health organizations of such municipalities were done away with and in their places a medical health officer were appointed and paid by the government to look after the sanitary conditions and health of the people within an enlarged area, and where municipal hospital districts are established the area of the said hospital district be the basis of the medical health officer's district."

The resolution evoked some discussion, during which Mayor Hardie, Lethbridge, suggested that what they needed was not a doctor but a plumber.

As an aftermath of the discussion of the single purchase liquor permit that took place at the morning session, a resolution was passed asking the government to issue no permits for a period of less than three months.

The Drumheller resolution asking the government to increase the maximum of the educational poll tax from \$4.00 to \$10.00 was passed.

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lison, of Edmonton, on the administration of mothers' pensions; and from Charles R. Mitchell, provincial leader of the Liberal party. The convention also disposed of a number of resolutions.

"The heavy proportion of the pension bill," said Alderman Collinson, "paid by the cities of the province is very largely acquired by the undoubted fact of the country being so far from the city. For instance, we find that of the 25 new cases chargeable to the city of Edmonton within the last twelve months, 12 of the total of 25 country villages and townships, while another village decided to apply for pension until she had acquired residence in the city."

It was not justice that the cities should have to bear so large a part of the cost. In British Columbia and Saskatchewan the provincial governments bear the whole charge, while in Manitoba the source of supply is 50 per cent from the consolidated revenue of the province, and 50 per cent from the municipality, levied at large, according to the political districts upon the basis of equalized assessment, full value of land and two-thirds of buildings and not according to the amount beneficiaries are receiving while resident in a municipality.

"It is quite evident," he said in conclusion, "that the government should administer the whole act and set out an equitable scale so that all persons would be paid on an equitable basis, and also make it quite clear to the children in the family that as they reach earning age it is the duty of each child to help in assisting the family."

Following the paper, the convention passed a resolution calling on the government to make all payments under the Mothers' Allowance act out of the general revenue of the province, and not partly by the province and partly by the municipality.

One of the fundamental troubles in Alberta, Hon. C. R. Mitchell told the convention, lay at the door of the municipal districts.

They are too small. He said that nearly \$700,000 to make an expenditure of a little more than \$2,000,000 by the rural municipalities in one year. At present Alberta had 169 municipal districts and 200 improvement districts, whereas there should only be about fifty.

That, he said, is all the municipal district machinery necessary in Alberta. He did not advocate placing any further burdens on the municipalities, but rather to spread the present burden by enlarging the unit. He believed that it was feasible to combine many of the present districts, as their bonded indebtedness was negligible.

There was a long discussion about the resolution from Pincher Creek, which proposed that municipal elections in town should be held in December instead of February, as at present. The resolution was lost.

The taking of a transit of traders, which also came up in a resolution from Pincher Creek, took up a good deal of time, the opinion of the convention finally crystallizing in a request to the government for the right to tax assessed polling costs by a license fee that would be for revenue purposes.

The convention passed a resolution asking the government to amend the Tax act so that school and municipal tax levies may be consolidated in one act.

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Immediately after the jury had brought in their verdict, A. A. McGill-Wray, chief counsel for the defence, asked Mr. Justice Boyle to defer sentence until the end of the week, and gave notice of appeal. His lordship agreed to this, and the accused were liberated on bail.

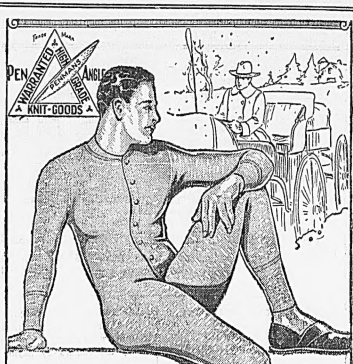
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The convention also passed a resolution asking for the right to prosecute offenders under bylaws that may be enacted under the Domestic Animals Act. They included in this resolution "fowls". Some of the delegates on Wednesday afternoon stated that stray chickens were their greatest worry.

The repeal of the supplementary revenue act was asked in a resolution which dealt with the overlapping of taxation powers. The resolution asked that the municipality shall have the sole right of taxing of real property.

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haps Tommy inherits his father's exhibition of bad temper."

Too often parents believe that inheritance has given their children bad characteristics. The mother is nervous, the father is given to temperous fits of anger—and they think the children inherit these qualities. Mental traits, so experts say, are certainly developed and often controlled by environment. For example, many people are afraid of lightning, but a noted authority says he has never seen babies show fear at a sudden flash of light. The loud crash of thunder frightens them, but not the brilliant light alone. Fear can be taught, so can courage.

Since environment plays such a big part in the acquisition of good mental habits, it can be readily understood that the right time to avoid bad mental habits of adults is to prevent their development in early years.

## "Treading the Winepress"

(Ralph Connor's new book, as reviewed by D. C. H.)

A very large reading public will welcome the announcement of a new book by Ralph Connor, for ever since the days of "The Sky Pilot" he has been a favorite author with thousands particularly in his native Canada. His new book is a most interesting one, with plenty of action and thrill, an appealing love story and a touch of seriousness throughout that will give the careful reader pause to think in spite of its libidinal title, however, it is not in any sense an "uplift" book. Nor is it a war story, though its action covers that period.

The really surprising part about this author is how much he packs into a story, and this latest work is no exception. It presents a group of very real characters, and a fund of rapidly moving events that hold the attention from end to end.

The story opens in a little Nova Scotia fishing village, and much of the action takes place there. The main folk of that vicinity are the principal characters. Tony Mackinroy, the handsome cultured son of a father who has been fisherman, sailor and naval officer in his day, is the central figure. To this quiet village comes a party of American tourists, young ladies and gentlemen, and during their stay their yacht is wrecked, and of course Tony goes to the rescue. He falls in love with Diana, one of the girls of the party, and she with him, but it is not till the outbreak of war makes separation imminent that either of them speaks.

Tony does special service during the war, in charge of his own gunboat. The war section of the book is comparatively short, though its influence is felt through the whole story, but the surprising twist that is given to the whole chain of events

and the final outcome is too good to expose here. A big powerful theme has been handled in a most sincere and convincing way.

Without hesitation or reservation, we recommend "Treading the Winepress". It can be classed with the very best work that Ralph Connor has ever done. Put it on that Christmas list now—you can't go wrong because a story of this kind will appeal to almost every type of reader.—Kingston Standard.

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# WITNESSES WEAVE WEB OF EVIDENCE AGAINST G. P. SMITH

Edmonton, Dec. 8.—In a rapid fire hearing yesterday, with a court room packed to every corner, and with witnesses weaving a web of evidence against George P. Smith, former minister of education, not a hint was developed that any wrong doing attached to the late Liberal government, as such, in connection with the fraudulent printing order placed with the Esdaile Press in this city in 1921, amounting to \$5,820.

Mr. Justice Walsh presided over the hearing of the royal commission, which opened yesterday. He will probably finish the taking of evidence Tuesday.

J. W. Jeffery, suspended king's printer; Matthew Esdaile, former manager of the Esdaile Press; Chas. Flavin, suspended assistant king's printer; L. G. Scott, recent manager of the Esdaile Press; and Frank Pike, former manager of the Merchants Bank here, were heard yesterday.

This morning, R. D. Purdy, former assistant manager of the Merchants Bank, will be called, it being claimed yesterday by Mr. Esdaile that he had delivered the government check for \$5,820 for printing orders which were never done, to Purdy, at the bank, at the request of G. P. Smith.

Mr. Purdy will relate what he did with the check and who got the money. Geo. P. Smith, the court was told by A. L. Smith K.C., crown counsel, has not replied to requests that he attend the inquiry. While noting that it was impossible to summon Mr. Smith, while he remains outside the province, Mr. Smith said he would submit evidence to the court.

Mr. Smith had been a minister of the crown in the period covered by the investigation.

In addition to the main charge the court dealt with the government printing placed with the Camrose Job Press, of which Geo. P. Smith, in 1921, had an interest with Mr. Johnston.

Mr. Johnston gave evidence of having shared profits with Mr. Smith, check for \$1,223 having been traced. The purported sale of his half interest to Johnston while serving as a minister, was described as a "wash bill" by A. L. Smith.

A copy of the partnership agreement produced in court, showed that Geo. P. Smith was to receive two-thirds of the profits from January 1, 1916, though he was to receive \$1,000 for his share of the plant. Mr. Johnston swore that not a dollar had been paid on this bill of sale, not even the \$200, "receipt of which is hereby acknowledged," Mr. Johnston said. Smith continued to draw his share of the profits from government and other work.

Asked why the bill of sale had been disregarded, the witness said that Mr. Smith informed him that it was "not according to Hoyle for a minister of the crown to be a partner in a concern handling government contracts."

After taking evidence Tuesday from R. D. Purdy as to the instructions under which he received the \$5,820 government check from Esdaile, and to whom he turned over the money, the court will conduct an investigation into the cost of government printing as compared with the prices paid for ordinary business concerns for similar work. There were practically no interruptions from counsel during the entire proceedings yesterday.

In connection with the second head, Mr. Smith stated that the Camrose Job Press was owned in 1917 by one Johnston and George P. Smith, and that in that year a bill of sale purporting to sell Smith's interest to Johnston was prepared. The inquiry would be as to the bona fides of this bill of sale, and as to whether Mr. Smith was divorced from the Camrose Job Press, Ltd., at the time it was doing an extensive business with the government of Alberta, of which government Mr. Smith was a minister.

In opening his case, Mr. Smith stated that he had sent "courtesy notices" to Charles Stewart, C. R. Mitchell and George P. Smith; Mr. Stewart as former premier of the Alberta government; Mr. Mitchell, leader of the Liberal party, and Mr. Smith as a former minister of the Stewart government, and as having been associated with the Camrose Job Press.

The two first-named had acknowledged receipt of the notice, but no word had been received from Mr. Smith, added counsel. Further notices to Mr. Smith had likewise been unacknowledged, though there was evidence that they had been received.

## THE FIDGETY CHILD

(Dr. Dr. C. M. Hinch)

A child's nervousness depends largely upon outside influence. Parental example of poise and calm in the face of irritating circumstances is the finest antidote for a nervous child.

Faulty feeding in infancy and early childhood may weaken the nervous system. All authorities approve of good simple food, including milk, meat, vegetables and fruit, and avoiding tea, coffee, alcohol and rich pastries.

Children should not be brought up too tenderly. They should be subjected to a hardening process. The child that is flincky about his diet or is brought up so that he is shielded from bad weather and becomes

# MORIN TO HAVE A 500 MAJORITY OVER FAULTAUX

Ottawa, Dec. 8.—The electors of Quebec, steadfast in their loyalty to the party of Blake and Laurier, have returned for the ninth successive time a Liberal majority to parliament.

The result of the election makes it virtually certain that the Liberal government will carry on at Ottawa.

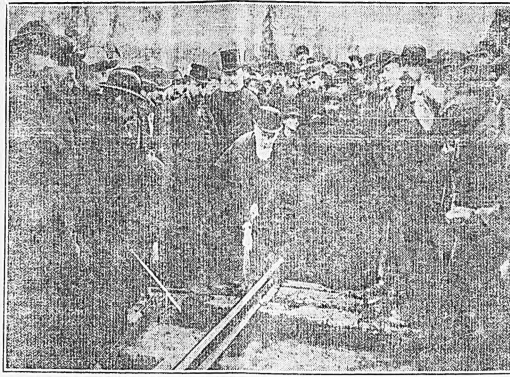
Mr. G. O. Morin, according to the latest returns, will have a majority of nearly 500 over Hon. T. Fautaux, the Conservative candidate.

The by-election was fought most strenuously. Both historic parties took the greatest care to submit their policies to the electorate, and both regarded it as a miniature general election. The results were received by the Liberal chiefs at Ottawa with genuine satisfaction. To them it means that Quebec is still soundly attached to Liberal principles, that despite their greatest exertions, the Conservatives cannot hope to impair the Liberals' strength in the ancient province.

sensitive to slight changes of heat or cold is liable to nervous fits. One reason why women are much prone to nervous ailments is that men are that as girls they have less chance for wholesome games and exercises. Out of door life, swimming, walking, rowing, play of all kinds and systematic gymnastics will do much to mitigate a nervous tendency.

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57 1:59 p.m. Daily	58 1:28 p.m.
62 11:50 a.m. Daily	63 7:15 p.m.
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The famous Shorthorn bull, King of the "Furies" former herd leader at the Prince of Wales' ranch near High River, Alberta, was awarded the world's championship at the late national Live Stock Show at Chicago the past week. Other prizes also went to Alberta winners in both live-stock and grain exhibits, but a complete list of these is not yet available. The Prince's bull was later sold to a U.S. purchaser for \$1,050.

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Kingston, Jamaica, has the best harbor in the West Indies.

# Church and Sunday School

## SCANDINAVIAN BAPTIST

P. M. Meyer, Minister  
Sunday, December 13—  
Hautala—11 a.m.  
Nashville—5 p.m.  
Wetaskiwin—8 p.m.  
Sunday schools—  
Offordale—11 a.m.  
Nashville school—11 a.m.  
Wetaskiwin—11 a.m.  
Nashville church—2 p.m.

## SALVATION ARMY

Company meeting, 3 p.m.  
Saturday meeting, 7:30 p.m.  
Subject: "The Three Ways"  
The financial report for the year ending October 31, 1924, will be publicly read.  
Tuesday, 8 p.m.—Public prayer meeting.  
Everyone welcome.

## EV. LUTHERAN

Friday, 7:30—Choir, Brightview.  
Saturday: School—  
9—2, Brightview.  
9—12: Wetaskiwin.  
1—4: Wetaskiwin.  
Catechumens—  
Saturday—  
3—4: Brightview.  
4—5: Peace Hill.  
7—8: Wetaskiwin.

## Services, Sunday—

10:45—Wetaskiwin.  
2:30—Peace Hill.  
7:30—Brightview.  
English Sunday school—2 p.m. on Sunday.  
C. Thies, Pastor.

## IMMANUEL CHURCH

(Anglican)  
Sunday, Dec. 13—  
11 a.m.—Holy Communion.  
2:30 p.m.—Sunday school.

## PENTECOSTAL ASSEMBLY

Service in hall on Pearce street as follows:  
Sunday, Dec. 13—  
11 a.m.—Worship.  
11 a.m.—Worship.  
2:30 p.m.—Sunday school.  
8 p.m.—Evangelistic.

## Wetaskiwin United Church

Wednesday, 8 p.m.—Prayer meeting.  
Vic. Swanton, Pastor.

## BETHLEHEM SWED. LUTHERAN

Sunday, Dec. 13—  
10:30 a.m.—Morning service.  
12 a.m.—Sunday school.  
At Svea, Malmo—  
3 p.m.—Gospel service.  
Rev. O. H. Miller, Pastor.

## ST. ANDREW'S PRESBYTERIAN

Sunday, Dec. 13—  
Services conducted at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. by the Rev. P. McCrae, of Crossfield. A special invitation is extended to all to come and hear this

# KELLNER WINS AN APPLICATION FOR A RECOUNT

Edmonton, Dec. 8.—D. P. Kellner, defeated Progressive candidate, yesterday obtained an order from Mr. Justice Walsh for a recount in 21 polls of the federal riding of Athabasca, which returned C. W. Cross, Liberal, with a majority of over 1,500 in the general election.

In numerous citations of what he claims as irregularities, Mr. Kellner alleges that in poll 153, where 91 votes were recorded for Mr. Cross, he has made extensive inquiries since the election and is credibly informed and believes that the resident voters do not amount to any such numbers.

R. D. Tighe, counsel for Kellner in the Peace River recount, is acting for Kellner in the Athabasca application. The recount for Peace River closed its sixth day yesterday afternoon with 140 polls dealt with out of a total of 230. Yesterday, J. H. Collins, Conservative, protested to Judge Mahaffy, against the inclusion of the Barkhead poll, where 87 ballots were cast for Kennedy, 11 for Collins and 5 for Rae. It being held that the D.R.O. had not returned certificates in the regular way, Judge Mahaffy had the ballots aside for further consideration.

## Municipalities Doing Well

According to reports presented to the Alberta association of municipal districts, by the president, the rural municipalities of Alberta are in a favorable position. Against an assessed value of \$479,000,000, there is a debenture indebtedness of only \$60,000, one-third of which is in one district. All payments on the above are being met promptly when due. Forty per cent of the districts had no money borrowed last year for any purpose, and of those which borrowed, all but 29 paid their loans in full at the end of the year.

## noted preacher.

Antheim by the choir and solo by Mrs. C. Boyer at morning service. Sunday school at 12:15. Antheim by the choir and solo by Mrs. H. G. Smith at evening service.

## WETASKIWIN UNITED CHURCH

Minister, Rev. A. L. Elliott, M.A.B.D. Sunday, Dec. 13—  
11 a.m.—"Forgiveness" Anthem—  
"Beautiful Words of Jesus"—Meredith.  
7:30 p.m.—"Waiting on God." Ladies' Quartette—"Slumber Song."  
2:30 p.m.—Sunday school.

## NORWEGIAN LUTHERAN

Rev. T. J. Oppedahl will be unable to hold services at Wang and Bethel on December 13.

Bethel congregation will hold a business meeting at the parsonage on December 11 at 5 p.m.

# YOUNG SWINE RAISERS AT TORONTO SHOW



At the termination of the Canadian National Railways Bacon Hog Competition, open to members of boys' and girls' swine clubs, which was one feature of the Royal Agricultural Winter Fair at Toronto, Archie Campbell and Chester Brown, of Komoka, Ontario, were adjudged the winners and thus their club is entitled to hold the W. D. Robb Challenge Cup for a year. Second place in this contest went to Lettie Austen, Slye Glen, and Annie Cameron, Malton, representing Nova Scotia. The judges announced that the margin separating the two teams was a very scant one. Saskatchewan took third place, the representatives of that province being Allan Lusch and David Falker, of Wiseton, this pair making a most favorable impression in the lecture demonstration which formed the second part of the competition.

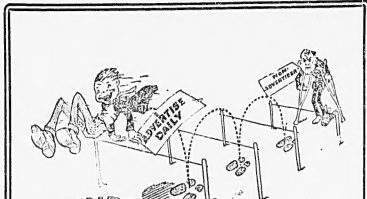
Fourth place went to Alberta. Clifford Lynn and James Wylie, of Vegreville, forming the team from that province. Wylie is a brother to one of the youths from that province which won the trophy last year. Two boys from Prince Edward Island, Harold Smith and Edmund Robertson, of Pownal, were next. Then came the Manitoba team, Roby Finkbeiner and Pearl Hodgson, of Decker. Two girls from New Brunswick, followed, Alice and Lily Davis, of Port Elgin, and then the representatives of Quebec, H. Parnell and P. A. Woodward, of Lennoxville.

Following the decision of the judges, Dr. W. J. Black, director of the Department of Colonization, Agriculture and Natural Resources, Canadian National Railways, the organization responsible for this special competition, offered congratulations to the young men and the young women who had come to Toronto for this event. Dr. Black stressed the necessity for concentration and specialization and reminded his hearers that the future success of the railways depends upon agriculture, that the success of agriculture largely depends upon live stock and that the success of that latter industry which promotes the most profitable return is the bacon hog.

Mr. W. D. Robb, vice-president, Canadian National Railways, in presenting the trophy to the Ontario boys, expressed his personal appreciation of the splendid work done by every team present, it being evident, he said, that each individual had worked earnestly and faithfully in order to win the provincial contest and with it the right to travel to Toronto. Each individual received a gold medal as a souvenir of the occasion and Mr. Robb congratulated each personally for their efforts.

Photograph shows: Back row, Clifford Lynn and James Wylie, Vegreville, Alta.; Allan Lusch and David Falker, Wiseton, Sask. Front Row: Pearl Hodgson, Decker, Man.; W. F. Watson, Agricultural Agent, C.N.R.; D. M. Johnson, Western Manager, Agricultural Dept., C.N.R.; Roby Finkbeiner, Decker, Man.

# ADVERTISE IN THE PAPER READ BY ALL THE PEOPLE IN THE DISTRICT



**BUSINESS  
VALUES  
SUCCESS**

Away he flies—the Merchant wise—he's after Business news. To fill his store with trade galore, he offers Values true.

His Weekly Ads bring in the Seeds, because all people know Value is there, four columns square, and Priced extremely low.

And if you ask, "What is the task that keeps him in first place?" Persistent Ads, Consistent Ads, spell Success in this race.

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Ask our Advertising Manager to explain our Sales Service plan. It puts the hop in Shop and Cash in Cash Register.

Announcing  
Christmas  
1925

An  
Invitation  
to You

With Christmas close at hand, and our store emanating the "Spirit of Christmas," we feel that seeing our stock of "Practical Christmas Gifts" will better express to you the wonderful range we have than any description we could give you.

We therefore extend a cordial invitation to all to visit our store.

We assure you a courteous service and a splendid display of Christmas merchandise.

**Rexall Drug Store**

Northern Drug Co., Ltd.  
Phone 56 Wetaskiwin

The Wetaskiwin Times



**THESE WANT AD'S BRING RESULTS**

**WANT AD'S**

**For Sale**

**FOR SALE**—Furniture six-room house, furnace, garage, 2 lots; reasonable offer accepted. Apply to E. D. H. Wilkins, owner Bank of Montreal, Wetaskiwin. 35-11a.

**FOR SALE**—Plymouth Rock Cockerels, \$1.00 each; 2 choice Shorthorn Bulls, rising 2 years; 1 fresh cow. Apply Geo. F. Root, Phone R112. 35-11a.

**RAM FOR SALE**—Pure bred Oxford ram. Apply to A. B. Geaz, Wetaskiwin, Phone R1069. 37-21a.

**FOR SALE OR RENT**—The residential property occupied by the late Mr. J. F. Fowler, on Beatrice street, modern, 8-roomed house, good lawn and garden. For particulars apply Odell & Russell, Star Store Block. 15-11a.

**FOR SALE**—Bronze Turkey Toms weighing 19 pounds or over, \$6.50. Orders taken up to about Dec. 5; also pure bred White Wyandotte Cockerels, heavy laying strain, \$1.50. Phone R166, Mrs. A. W. Rix. 35-21a.

**FOR SALE**—International Hay Ball, good as new. B. M. Parker, Royal Market, Wetaskiwin. 35-21a.

**MILK FOR SALE**—Apply C. D. Enman, Phone 246.

**Estray**

**ESTRAY**—Hay gelding, 3 yrs, 1400, white strip on face, who cut on hind leg; Bay gelding, 6 yrs, 1200, star on forehead; Sorrel mare, 7 yrs, 1400, white strip on face, white hind feet. Horses were seen in vicinity of city about Nov. 17. B. R. Kitchin, Pen. Dept. Alta. 35-11.

**STRAYED**—From N. W. 35-45-22-4, Nov. 1, Cow, 3 yrs, branded 6R and quarter circle underneath, with calf at side, both Hereford bred. Suitable reward for recovery. H. T. Rix, Wetaskiwin, phone R407. 35-11.

**M. D. BIGSTONE, 459**

Take Notice that I will be in Wetaskiwin every Saturday from November 14th until December 12, inclusive, at Ross M. Snyder's Store, for the convenience of ratepayers wishing to pay taxes.

E. N. RATTWAY, Secy. Treas., M. D. Bigstone, 459

**M.D. of Bigstone, No. 459**

**NOTICE OF CHANGE OF POUND**

Notice is hereby given under Section 22 of the Domestic Animals Act (Municipalities), that the pound in Division 2, will from this date, be kept by W. R. L. Fry, on the N.W. of 12-45-25-11th. Notices of Impoundment will be posted at Chesterwood and the S.W. corner of 18-45-27-4th.

E. N. RATTWAY, Secretary Treas., M.D. of Bigstone, 459

**UNRESERVED AUCTION SALE**

**HORSES, CATTLE, MACHINERY ETC., ETC.**

The undersigned Auctioneer has received instructions to sell by Public Auction on the N.W. 19-46-25-4, 15 miles north of Brightview, 11 miles west of Wetaskiwin, on **MONDAY, DECEMBER 14th.**

At 12:30 noon—  
**HORSES**—3 head 1600 lbs Work Horses; Bay Mare, 1200 lbs; Black Single Driving Horse, 1100; Yearling Colt, 900 lbs.  
**CATTLE**—3 head Milch Cows; Red Shorthorn Bull, 7 Sirey Calves.  
**HOGS**—Drool Sow, 4 Shoats, weighing about 135 lbs.

**POULTRY**—6 Turkey Hens, 2 Gobblers; 30 Plymouth Rock Pullets; 2 Cuckers; 2 Geese.

**MACHINERY**—1 foot Deering Binder; Emerson Drant Mower; Deering Hay Rake; Great West 14 inch Gang Plow; Steel Beam Walking Plow; 8 foot Disc Harrow; Wood Beam Plow, 3 sections Laver Harrow; Single section Harrow; 3 1/2 inch Wagon; Wagon Box; 22 Shoe Drill; Set Bob Sleighs; Single Sleigh; Fanning Mill, Massey Harris Cream Separator; Single Buggy, Democrat, Wagon Truck, 2 Sets Work Harness, Buggy Harness, Collars, Rotary Disc Plow, Planet Jr. Garden Drill and Cultivator; 15 gal. Oil Drum; Horse Evener, Double-tree, Incubator, Pails, Oils, Automobile and Wagon Jacks, Power Clipper, 3 Iron Hog Tronchs, Carpenter Tools, Blacksmith Vise, Sickle Grind, Shotgun and loading outfit, 80 Tannin Posts, 100 feet steel cable, Plans, Phonograph and 60 Records.

Set Sleigh Belts, Log Chais, Gate-line and Alladin Lamps, All sorts of odds and ends too numerous to mention.

**TERMS**—CASH  
No article to be removed without being settled for.  
Sale Positive, Rain, Snow or Shine.  
Bring your own drinking cups.  
Everything must be sold as Mr. Fey has rented the farm.  
S. G. Fey, — Owner  
GEO. L. OWEN — AUCTIONEER

**Wanted**

**WANTED**—To exchange furnished house in Edmonton for similar house in Wetaskiwin for four months. Enquire Mulrhead, Star Store. 35-11.

**WANTED**—Capable woman or experienced girl to assist with housework and care of child. Good wages to right person. Apply Mrs. E. L. Fuller, Phone 272, Wetaskiwin. 35-11.

**TEACHER WANTED**—For Wang S.D. 550. Duties to commence Jan. 4. None but qualified teachers need apply. Salary \$1200.00. Apply to Alfred T. Jevne, secy-treas., Route 3, Phone R294, Wetaskiwin. 37-21.

**WANTED**—Married couple for farm work. Man must be experienced and able to milk. Wages, \$550 per year. Apply Box "B" Times Office. 35-21.

**For Rent**

**TO RENT**—Furnished bedroom in fully modern house, with breakfast. Terms moderate. 5 minutes walk from station. Also house for sale at a snap. Apply on premises, Court House Ave. Mrs. R. Hawkins. 35-21a.

**Miscellaneous**

**TENTS AND AWNINGS**—Repaired. Let us look over your tents and awnings before the spring rush begins. Also your auto, carriage and furniture. Highest class work promptly done at lowest prices. Drop a card to W. J. Pickard, Wetaskiwin. 47-11a.

**Domestic Animals Act****NOTICE TO OWNER OF IMPOUNDED ANIMALS**

Notice is hereby given under Section 22 of the Domestic Animals Act (Municipalities), that the following animals have been impounded and sold, and may be redeemed by the Owners, or on their behalf, within a period of thirty days from the publication of this notice in the Alberta Gazette, upon payment of all fees and costs due to the Municipality and the purchasers of said animals:

1 White Heifer, 2 years old horns, no brand.

1 Dark Red Steer, 2 years old, horns, no brand.

1 Roan Heifer, 2 years old, horns, no brand.

Impounded in the pound of C. R. Green, Sec. 32-47-4th, on November 1st, and sold on November 12th, 1925.

2 Yearling Steers, and 2 Heifers. Impounded in the pound of Wm. Johnson on the S.W. 18-47-26-4th, on November 1st, and sold on November 16, 1925.

For information apply to E. N. RATTWAY, Secretary Treas., M. D. of Bigstone, 459 Western, Alberta. 35-11a.

**Notice to Creditors and Claimants**

**IN THE ESTATE OF Frederick Osborn Mason, late of Wetaskiwin, in the Province of Alberta, Deceased.**

Notice is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the estate of the above named FREDERICK OSBORN MASON, who died on or about the 2nd day of May, A.D. 1925, are required to file with the undersigned by the 14th day of January, 1926, a full statement duly verified of their claims and of any securities held by them, and after that date the Administrator will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or which have been brought to his knowledge.

Dated 11th day of November, A.D. 1925.

TRENHOLME DICKSON, Administrator, Government Buildings, Edmonton.

**NOTICE**

**IN THE Matter of the Estate of Eliza Newstead, late of the City of Wetaskiwin, in the Province of Alberta, Deceased.**

NOTICE is hereby given that all persons having claims upon the Estate of the above named Eliza Newstead, who died on or about the 7th day of April, 1924, are required to file with P. G. DAY, Barrister, etc., C.P.R. Building, Edmonton, Alberta, Solicitor for the Administrator, by the 29th day of January, A.D. 1926, a full statement duly verified of their claims and of any securities held by them, and that after that date the Administrator will distribute the assets of the deceased among the parties entitled thereto, having regard only to the claims of which notice has been so filed or which have been brought to their knowledge.

DATED this 3rd day of December, A.D. 1925.

P. G. DAY, Solicitor for the Administrator.

New Zealand is said to be the most meat house of the Anglo-Saxon race in the world, all things considered.

**ANNOUNCEMENTS****TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF WETASKIWIN**

Ladies and Gentlemen: As I have been nominated as a candidate for the office of Public School Trustee, and it will be impossible for me to see you all personally, I take this means of soliciting your vote and influence. If elected, I promise to serve you to the best of my ability. Yours sincerely, WM. DERRY.

**TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF WETASKIWIN**

Ladies and Gentlemen: My name appears again before you as a candidate for Alderman for the City of Wetaskiwin, for the years 1926-1927, and should you favor me with your vote at the polls, I will endeavor, as on past occasions, to serve you faithfully, honestly and fearlessly. Yours truly, WALTER S. ENGLISH, Candidate for Alderman.

**TO THE RATEPAYERS OF THE WETASKIWIN PUBLIC SCHOOL DISTRICT**

Ladies and Gentlemen: As I am a candidate for reelection for the office of Public School Trustee, I take this opportunity of cordially soliciting your vote and influence at the polls on Monday next. If elected, I promise that I will, as in the past, endeavor to keep the expenditure down to the lowest possible minimum, having in mind the efficiency of the schools, and I will serve the district to the best of my ability.

Thanking you in advance for whatever support and assistance you can give me during the election, I remain, Yours respectfully, V. C. FRENCH.

**TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF WETASKIWIN**

Ladies and Gentlemen: My name appears before you as a candidate for Public School Trustee for the City of Wetaskiwin, and should you honor me by electing me to office, I will serve you to the best of my ability. Yours respectfully, ELI MOORE.

**TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF WETASKIWIN**

Ladies and Gentlemen: Having allowed my name to appear before you as a candidate for Alderman for the City of Wetaskiwin, for the years 1926-1927, I respectfully solicit your votes at the poll on Monday, December 14, and if elected to office, will serve you to the best of my ability. Yours respectfully, W. N. PATON, Candidate for Alderman.

**TO THE ELECTORS OF THE CITY OF WETASKIWIN**

Ladies and Gentlemen: As my name appears among the list of candidates for reelection as Alderman for the City of Wetaskiwin on Monday, December 14th, I respectfully solicit your vote and influence, and should you favor me with your trust as you have done on past occasions, you may rest assured, it will always be my earnest endeavor to serve you faithfully. Yours truly, B. M. PARKER.

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Ladies and Gentlemen: Having been nominated for the office of Alderman, and, as it will be impossible for me to see you all personally, I solicit your vote, and if elected, I promise to serve the interests of the City to the best of my ability. Jas. SCOTT.

**UNRESERVED AUCTION SALE**

**17 HEAD OF HORSES 7 SETS WORK HARNESS 3 TENTS, TOOLS, ETC.** Will be sold at Kremer's Store, Hebloma, on **SATURDAY, DECEMBER 12** At 1:30 sharp. These Horses are ready for work, having worked on the grade all summer.

**TERMS**—CASH  
No Reserve.  
GEO. L. OWEN — AUCTIONEER

**"The Bankruptcy Act"**

**IN THE Matter of the Estate of BANNER GROCERY, LIMITED, of the City of Wetaskiwin, in the Province of Alberta.**

TAKE NOTICE that the undersigned was duly appointed Trustee of the Estate of BANNER GROCERY, LIMITED, at the Statutory Meeting of Creditors, held on Wednesday, the 2nd day of December, 1925, at four o'clock in the afternoon.

DATED at Edmonton, Alberta, this 3rd day of December, A.D. 1925.

THE CANADIAN CREDIT MEN'S TRUST ASSOCIATION, LIMITED, "TRUSTEES"

"Jas. A. MacKinnon," Manager

307 Bank of Nova Scotia Bldg., Edmonton, Alberta. 38-11a

**WETASKIWIN MARKETS**

Wednesday, December 9, 1925

No. 1 Northern	1.37
No. 2 Northern	1.34
No. 3 Northern	1.29
No. 4 Northern	1.21
No. 5 Northern	1.03
No. 6 Northern	83
Feed Wheat	73
Oats	21 - 35
Barley	34 - 45

**WETASKIWIN MARKETS**

Wednesday, December 9, 1925

Hogs	65 - 83
Steers	10.60
Cows	2.00 - 4.00
Sheep	2.00 - 3.00
Spring Lambs	5.00
Eggs (extras)	10.00
Eggs (firsts)	15
Eggs (seconds)	30
Butter	30 - 40

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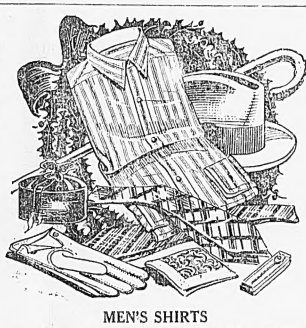
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**\$2.50 and up**

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**MEN'S SHIRTS**

Every man hopes to receive nice shirts at Xmas time. Some we are showing are made in fancy stripes, others are plain cotton, broadcloth or silk. At prices that will please you

**\$2.25 to \$3.50**

**HOUSE SLIPPERS**

If you don't know what he would like — you should give him a pair of slippers — he will enjoy them.

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**NEW XMAS NECKTIES**

There are many very pretty and novel designs in nice silk ties, put up in special gift boxes. Special at

**50c, 75c, \$1.00 and \$1.50**

## FOR WOMEN



**LADIES' SCARFS**

All colors and combinations of colors in Crepe de Chine or silk knit. A very lovely gift.

**\$1.50 to \$5.00**

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**LADIES' UNDER-ARM AND HAND BAGS**

These come in solid leather, patent and calf-skin. Also a range in beaded bags in different shadings. Exceptionally low priced.

**\$2.25 to \$6.00**

A HAND BAG FOR THE LITTLE MISS

A nice assortment of colors in a dainty style. Sure to please. Price, each, 65c.

**TABLE AND FANCY LINENS**

We have now a complete range in all Linen Tablecloths and Fancy Linens.

Cluny Lace Centres in all sizes to complete Luncheon Sets at most reasonable prices.

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**GROCERIES**


Our Grocery Department can supply you with everything needed at this season. All fresh and tasty.

Fruits, Nuts and Confectionery at special prices for Christmas entertainments.

# STAR STORE

Grocery Phone

**10**



Dry Goods Phone

**18**

**"It's a Great Life." Say Titled English Farmers.**

Upper left—Lord Montague, Lord Rodney and son John, Lady Rodney, Farm Instructor, and John Stanley. Lower left—Lord Montague, son of the Duke of Gloucester, feeding the hogs. Upper right—Lord Rodney and his ranch house at Cottesmore Farm. Lower right—Lady Rodney and her son John.

The most ideal conditions in Alberta, and by ideal conditions is meant, practical conditions, where every acre on the farm is handled at some time or other by men born under some of the most famous titles of Britain.

They are doing this on Cottesmore farm, 25 miles east of the city of Edmonton, in the rich Fort Saskatchewan district. Cottesmore farm is owned and operated by one George Bridges Harley Guest, who happens to be the eighth Baron Rodney, descendant of the famous Admiral Rodney whose victory over the French fleet in 1782 saved the empire of the Britons from the Bourbons.

Baron Rodney himself, and Lady Rodney, have gone through the throes of life as hired help on an Alberta farm, and are not putting others through their paces on their own rich and fertile farm overlooking the broad Saskatchewan river. Believing that in this day and generation agricultural life in Western Canada is a proper pursuit for those of noble blood they are leading these young aristocrats along the right path by putting them through every known job on a western farm. They have with them this year, which is the second year they have operated this school in farming, Montague, son of Lady Farquhar, the Duke de Nemours, descendant of the very Bourbons whom Rodney's illustrious ancestor helped to defeat, and others.

Everybody works on the Rodney farm. Lord and Lady Rodney themselves superintend the farm operations and actively participate in them. They know how. They have been through the mill. When they

**CHRISTMAS CANTATA**

The Sunday school of the United church will render a Christmas Cantata in Wesley Hall on December 23 and 24. Visitors are specially invited to attend on Tuesday, December 22, so as to leave room in the hall for the children of the school on Wednesday, December 23. An offering will be taken on both evenings to meet the Christmas expenses of the school.

**ANNOUNCEMENT**

# GRAND OPENING SALE

## OF THE

# BANNER GROCETERIA

## With Service

Previously Known as the  
BANNER GROCERY LIMITED

In addition to an up-to-date New Stock, we are offering the bankrupt stock, consisting of Groceries and Crockery, at prices below wholesale cost.

BROOMS, 4 string	.43
Reg. 75c. Sale price	
CURLING BROOMS	.98
Sale price, while they last	
CORN, Choice No. 1 1/2 tin	.29
2 tin for	
PETTITON Breakfast Food	.15
Per package	
APPLES, Grimes' Golden	\$1.69
in crates, each	
PLUM JAM, Pure Pitted	.59
4 pound tin, each	
TEA, in bulk,	.58
per pound	
ROBIN HOOD RAPID COOKING	.25
ROLLED OATS	
large square packages, each	
LOGANBERRIES, in packages	.28
LIBBY'S PRESERVED MUS- TARD, per bottle	.12
HONEY, Buckle, pure,	\$1.65
10 pound pails, each	

Groceteria with Service  
means Groceteria prices, del-  
ivery service, order service,  
and all the Service possible.

JAM Pure Raspberry,	.68
4 pound tin, each	
CHEESE, Ontario September	.30
Per pound	
COFFEY, SANTOS, good	.45
quality, per pound	
CELLULOSE STARCH	.10
per package	
DYSON'S VINEGAR, in jugs,	.20
Regular 36c. for	
SUPICES of all kinds	.25
2 packages for	
DOT SWEET CHOCOLATES	.25
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**REGULAR MEETING  
M. D. OF BIGSTONE**

The regular meeting of the council of the municipal district of Bigstone was held in the Lone Ranger hall on December 2nd, with Reeve Ratnay, and Councillors Hihak, Olson, Westendorf, Arnold and Barleigh present.

The minutes of the former meeting were read and adopted on motion of Coun. Barleigh.

Councillors Arnold and Barleigh gave a report on the proceedings at the convention of municipal districts.

Mr. A. G. Stevens addressed the council in regard to opening up a winter road from the west side of 13-16-26-4th to the east side of 15-16-25th, thus shortening the distance to Wetaskiwin.

It was moved by Ratnay that Coun. Westendorf be authorized to expend a sum not exceeding \$20.00 for the purpose of opening a road south of sections 15-16 and 16-25, and sections 13-16-26 and 13-16-25, said expenditure to be charged equally to Divisions 1, 2, 3 and 4. Carried.

It was moved by Ratnay that W. R. L. Prye be appointed pondkeeper for Division 2, in place of E. N. Ratnay, who resigned.

Notices of Impoundment to be posted at Chesterwood and the S.W. of 18-15-27-4.

The secretary treasurer submitted a letter from the Equalization Board for Division 2, in which the Board gave a tentative valuation of \$10.11 as an average valuation for this municipal district in the equalization of assessments. It was moved by Coun. Olson that this municipality accept this figure at this point at present.

A letter was submitted from Emery, Newell, Ford & Lindsay, in connection with injuries on fully culvert. It was moved by Coun. Arnold that this matter be left over until next meeting for consideration.

A letter regarding weed inspection was left over until the March meeting.

It was moved by Coun. Olson that the annual meeting of ratepayers be held at Lone Ranger hall.

It was moved by Coun. Arnold that the remuneration for returning officer be \$25.00, and deputy returning officers \$8.00.

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A counter amendment was moved by Coun. Westendorf that B. S. Wallis be returning officer.

On a vote the main motion carried. It was moved by Reeve Ratnay that the following polling places be named in the event of an election, and the following deputy returning officers be appointed:

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Bills and paychecks were passed on motions of Arnold and Westendorf, after which the meeting adjourned.

**KELLNER WINS  
AN APPLICATION  
FOR A RECOUNT**

Edmonton, Dec. 8.—D. F. Kellner, defeated Progressive candidate, yesterday obtained an order from Mr. Justice Wainwright for a recount in 21 polls of the federal riding of Athabasca, which returned C. W. Cross, Liberal, with a majority of over 1,800 in the general election.

In numerous instances of what he claims as irregularities, Mr. Kellner alleges that in poll 153, where 94 votes were recorded for Mr. Cross, he has made extensive inquiries since the election and is credibly informed and believes that the resident voters did not amount to any such numbers.

R. D. Tighe, counsel for Kennedy in the Peace River recount, is acting for Kellner in the Athabasca application.

The recount for Peace River closes its sixth day yesterday afternoon with 140 polls dealt with out of a total of 230. Yesterday, J. H. Collins, Conservative, protested to Judge Mahaffy against the inclusion of the hardhead poll, where 87 ballots were cast for Kennedy, 11 for Collins and 5 for Rae, it being held that the D.R.O. had not returned certificates in the regular way. Judge Mahaffy had the ballots aside for further consideration.

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FOR \$110,000 DAMAGES**

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The writ was issued by the firm of Rept. Cross and Macdonald yesterday morning, the statement giving a full recital of the steps which had been taken to secure the Morning Bulletin from Frank Oliver; that the franchise had been refused by the Canadian Press last October; that financial losses were suffered by the plaintiff in consequence, and that excessive costs of publication under existing conditions resulted from the illegal actions of the defendants.

It is claimed that the defendants Woods and Iurie were desirous that the plaintiff should not commence re-publication of the Bulletin, as the giving a tentative valuation of \$10.11 as an average valuation for this municipal district in the equalization of assessments.

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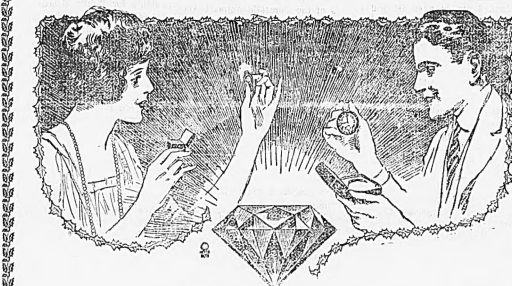
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Ivory Rolls	\$3.50 - \$16.00
Brush, Comb and Mirror (Ivory)	\$4.75 - \$65.00

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Cuff Links	50c - \$12.00
Scarf Pins	75c - \$15.00
Signet Rings	\$4.00 - \$15.00
Watch Chains	\$2.00 - \$12.00
Military Brushes	\$3.50 - \$15.00
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**WATCH OUR WINDOWS****H. R. French**



## Judy and Hammerhead

By Frances Lester Warner  
Judy Rosslyn, fifteen months, her tall young figure clad in a man's striped shirt, whicker riding breeches, sat on a rock enjoying a crisp fall afternoon and, treading the nose of the beautiful he before her.

"It's a low-down shame, Hammerhead," she addressed him. "Just because I'm a girl I can't help but help take those best steers to the railroad. It's not fair! And me with the best horse in the country, though that doesn't know it yet!" Hammerhead thumped his lips suggestively. He wanted more of the sugar that had been his undoing and that had turned him into the tolls of slavery.

For Hammerhead bore the wicked reputation of an "outlaw"—the worst word that fights mankind to the last gasp.

Dick Rosslyn, Judy's father, and the owner of the great Rosslyn cattle ranch, had acquired him a year ago for a trifle, thinking by his beauty and strength, which he would be a fitting mount for his own mount, a one hundred and eighty pounds. Hammerhead was a tall eleven-hundred-pound six-year-old, of good blood. Dappled from grey, his high, proud head hung back a mile, and his eyes, equally matched by the black and flowing tail. In his forehead was the peculiar white square, joining on to a thin white stripe down his nose, that had won his name.

He was a horse gone wrong. His first owner, loving him, had broken him with care, but, meeting with financial reverses, had sold him into what he thought, were safe hands. Sold again, the great horse became the property of a rider noted for his cruelty, a man who brought out the worst in a beast for the purpose of exhibiting his pleasures. One jerk of the dreadful Spanish bit, a slash of the rovelled spurs, and Hammerhead was transformed from an intelligent, tractable creature into a demon that believed all two-legged beings were monsters bent on torment. From that day on no man had been able to stay on his supple back. He bucked like a feral, and it took to know by instinct all the equine death dealing tricks.

Rosslyn, after his best broncho-buster had received a broken leg, abandoned him temporarily. He allowed him to run with the saddle and work horses, occasionally permitting some buckaroo of fame to tackle him.

Judy, from the moment Hammerhead arrived on the big cattle ranch, had coveted him secretly, wistfully, almost hopelessly. For, said Rosslyn, "If I can ever get him gentled, Judy, he'll be as much yours as mine." Judy had then despised him, full of filaments. She knew her father loved to see her superbly mounted, but he was far too busy to squander time on a beautiful outlaw.

Later a chance remark of her father had planted the germ of hope in the girl's heart. "Why don't you make a pet of him?" Rosslyn joked one morning as they watched him. Judy, trotting nervously around the horse corral. Judy, her very soul going out to the wonderful animal, was absent minded. She took the remark literally. The idea persisted. Why not try? It would be tremendous fun! Surprise her father to pieces!

Not a thought of wrong doing, not a glimmer of the terrible danger she might encounter, entered Judy's confident, pretty head. The fall rained, and he was her golden opportunity. Her father and his companions were absent weeks at a time, concerning the vast territory that comprised the Rosslyn holdings. Cattle stealing was prevalent, and it required constant watchfulness to preserve intact the herds of range stock. And now Judy's father desired horse exercises! He much preferred to ride in the big, expensive transfer—his delight and pride.

Judy's love for the big grey horse grew into a passion. And his horse pasture was a mile square—his upper end a long way from the house, where Mrs. Campton, her aunt and teacher, Milly the cook, and Ed, the rheumatic old chore-boy, ruled in her father's absence.

Accustomed to her independent, outdoor habits, they paid little attention to her in the afternoon. When she had finished with her morning lessons she would saddle her own good horse and hurry to the upper end of the pasture. Here was a small flat, high on the great hill above the ranch and overlooking it. Here, before the coming of Hammerhead, she read and dreamed, stretched along some fallen log, or sat and gazed at the panorama beneath her. Sometimes she practiced at target shooting with the revolver her father insisted that she always carry.

But with the coming of Hammerhead her days were changed. He was a perpetual, flamboyant challenge. What triumph if any day she were to ride him, mechanically into the ranch just as her father and his men returned from some long trip!

If Rosslyn noticed his daughter's lack of desire to ride with him, he made no comment. There had been no trust and worries annoyed him.

After Rosslyn made his justice remark, never dreaming that his daughter would take it seriously, Judy began to turn her head away from him by the provocative expedient of favoring her favorite horse friends with morsels of sugar. This diplomatic bore fruit. Hammerhead, boss of the less fiery creatures, resented their

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# THE MILLET PAGE

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## CARRY ON CLUB

The intellectual meeting of the Carry On club was held at the home of Miss Marjorie West last Monday evening. The program arranged for the occasion was very much enjoyed. It consisted of: the reading of the club paper by Mr. Menzies, and a report by him on Dr. Lewis' speech to the Young People's Conference at Edmonton. The rest of the evening's program was an Edgar A. Guest. Miss Ford, Mary Howard, Milla Nordstrom and Marjorie West served fruit and candies during the evening.

Next Monday night Dr. Tuttle, of Edmonton, will speak to the club.

Mr. R. P. Roop shipped one of his pure bred Poland China hogs to Carstairs on Wednesday.

A number of young people motored to Wetaskiwin on Friday evening to attend the dance.

Mrs. Eggleston is the guest of Mrs. L. Hupert and is renewing acquaintances in the neighborhood.

Mr. V. C. French, of The Times, paid a business visit to Millet on Friday of last week.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Paulson of Edmonton are guests of Mrs. J. West over Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. McAllister and family spent a couple of days in the city this week.

Mrs. H. Arnold, Miss Moonen, Miss Balthazar, motored to Edmonton on Monday.

Mr. G. A. Wagner went to Edmonton on Tuesday to spend a few days with his old friend, G. A. Wilkinson.

A meeting of the Hillsdale U.F.A. local will be held in the school on Saturday evening, December 12.

A turkey shoot will be held at the Mulharg general store on December 16. Competitors are requested to bring their own rifles.

Mr. and Mrs. Latho and family, and Mr. and Mrs. Cole, of Wetaskiwin, were guests at the home of Mr. F. Higginson on Sunday afternoon.

## AUCTION SALE

The undersigned Auctioneer has received instructions to sell by Public Auction at the

**COMMUNITY HALL MILLET SATURDAY, DECEMBER 12 At 2 o'clock Prompt**

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## MILLET LOCAL NEWS

Miss Dowdell spent a few days in Edmonton this week.

G. A. Roop spent the week-end with friends in Edmonton.

Mr. and Mrs. Ted Rogers motored to Edmonton on Friday.

G. W. Mulligan, Sr., of Mulhurst, has completed his new barn.

Skating on Pigeon Lake at Mulhurst is in full swing.

Chas. Scharff of Millet, has returned from a trip to the States.

The U.F.A. Store is rapidly assuming a finished appearance.

Store windows in Millet are developing a very Christmas appearance.

The Misses Margaret and Fyris Roop spent the weekend at the home of their parents.

## Here and There

The sea fish catch on both coasts in Canada for the nine months ending September, 1925, was worth \$12,997,076, as compared with \$13,118,466 for the same of 1924, an increase of \$1,883,620.

A gold medal has been awarded to the Canadian Pacific Railway for the Company's exhibit at the Canadian National Exhibition this year.

On one side of the medal is a portrait of the Hon. Howard Ferguson, Premier of Ontario, while on the other is a scene on the exhibition grounds.

E. W. Beatty, chairman of the Canadian Pacific Steamships, stated recently that more liners of the "M" type would be built to replace older liners, such as the Marloch, Marburn and Montreal. The new ships will be similar in all respects to the S.S. Montclair and Montreal. The Marloch, Marburn and Montreal will be sold.

A fish caught in Shuswap Lake, British Columbia, after a forty-minute fight turned out to be a monster rainbow speckled trout weighing 17 pounds, with a length of 36 1/2 inches and a girth of 24 1/2 inches. It was mounted and exhibited in the window of the Dominion Express Company, Montreal, before being shipped to the owner in England.

Live stock exchanges are to be formed in Montreal to prevent the sharp decrease in the number of cattle. In the period 1920-1924, there was a reduction of 331,000 head of cattle in the province of Quebec. Because of the low prices for live stock, the Quebec farmer has refused to face the long period of feeding and tending, and kills the calves.

A seven passenger twin-engine flying boat, which it is said will revolutionize the aerial fire-fighting methods employed by the Government protective patrol, is being tested at the Dominion Government Airfield at South Marsh, near Ottawa. If satisfactory it will be flown to Manitoba where it will take on fire preventive duties in one of the most important forest areas.

The 1925 total of dividends paid and declared by gold and silver mining companies in Northern Ontario is \$10,492,774, representing a total of \$2,013,131 over the dividend record of 1924 and constitutes the greatest record for Canadian precious metal mining industry. From 1904 to 1925, since silver was discovered in Cobalt in 1904 and gold found in Porcupine and Kirkland Lake in 1920 and 1916, records show total dividends of \$10,777,129 from these fields. The aggregate profits are now averaging \$1,000,000 a month.

Bettering the world record of 3,47,684 bushels of all grains marketed on C.P.R. western lines Thursday, November 28. From August 1 to November 29 inclusive, 148,678,445 bushels of all grains have been marketed at stations adjacent to Canadian Pacific Railway lines as compared to 140,651,136 bushels for the same period last year, an increase of about 55 per cent.

Spencer of what is confidently expected to be the most brilliant winter season in Quebec, the Winter Sports Club has been launched under the patronage of the Lieutenant-Governor of the Province, Hon. N. Perceval; Hon. L. A. Taschereau, Premier of Quebec; Mayor J. Samson of Quebec, and Mayor Demers of Levis. The major events of the season are the International College Ski competition on December 29; the International Snow Shoe Convention, February 6-7; and the Quebec Dog Derby, the date for which has not yet been fixed.

## REV. A. H. ALDERWOOD AT THE UNITED CHURCH

Rev. A. H. Alderwood, district secretary of the Bible Society for Northern Alberta, visited the Millet church on Sunday, the 6th, and spoke of the work of the Bible Society at Larch Tree, Hillsdale and Millet. Mr. Alderwood's messages were interesting, informing and inspiring. The Bible, he told his hearers, is being printed in nearly 600 languages, and is being sent into every country of the world. The aim of the Bible Society is to give every man of the world the scriptures in his own native tongue. And the Bible is marvellously doing its work of revealing God and changing the lives of people. Often without the aid of a missionary to interpret its meaning, the New Testament proves its living power by winning men and women from savagery and sin to allegiance to the World's Saviour and His way of living.

Our debt to William Tyndale, who just 400 years ago gave us the Bible in English, is very great. In the face of bitter opposition and fierce persecution, he translated the scriptures from Greek and Hebrew for the English speaking people and found the means to distribute them in spite of the law and a hostile church, for which good work he was finally imprisoned and burned at the stake. His work lives, and we are all under obligations to continue and further his ambition to make the word of God the common possession of all men.

At the close of each service, a local branch of the Bible Society was organized with the following officers. Millet—President, J. R. K. Graham, secretary, Miss M. Plant.

Larch Tree—President, Mr. Murray, secretary, Miss A. Smith.

Hillsdale—President, Mr. March, secretary, Mrs. T. Howes.

Miss Van Camp, Miss Daly, Mr. Moorhouse and Mr. Wilmot Van Camp were Sunday evening callers at the parsonage.

Mr. and Mrs. T. K. Rogers left on Thursday morning for Los Angeles, California, for an extended visit with friends.

Fishing season opens on December 15. Fishermen may be seen placing their lines and erecting their shacks on Pigeon Lake in anticipation of the opening.

The U.F.W.A. will hold their next meeting at the home of Mrs. W. L. Gray, on Wednesday afternoon, December 16. All members are requested to be in attendance.

Walter Miller, Ted Kents, Herb Scharff, Wilfred Graham and Alex. Douglas spent Saturday afternoon taking in the sights of the metropolis.

The Ladies' Aid of the United church held a very successful dinner and sale of home cooking and fancy work in the community hall on Saturday last. The sum of one hundred and thirty dollars was realized.

Thursday, December 3rd, was a busy day for the Women's Institute workers. The husbands of the members put plaster board on the walls of the Community hall. A delicious chicken dinner was served to the workers by the ladies.

Rev. Mr. Alderwood, district superintendent of the Bible Society, addressed the congregation in the United church on Sunday evening on the work of the British and Foreign Bible Society. He made a strong appeal for the support of this work in his effort to give the bible in all languages to the nations.

The community Christmas Tree will be held on December 23rd in Pinyon's hall, opening at 8 o'clock. All the schools and Sunday schools of the district are invited to participate. Santa Claus will be present. The heartiest cooperation of all is asked that this may prove a happy time for all. A film is being secured to add to the enjoyment of the evening.

Rev. Dr. A. S. Tuttle, principal of Alberta College South, Edmonton, will occupy the pulpit of the United church on Sunday evening, December 13th, and will be with Rev. J. B. Howard at the Larch Tree and Hillsdale appointments at the morning and afternoon services. Dr. Tuttle will also address the Carry On club of Millet on the Monday evening following, December 14, at 8 o'clock. The general public is cordially invited.

**RIEHL - PRICE**  
The marriage took place on Thursday, November 26, at Fredericksheim Chapel, church of St. Elizabeth, Rev. Wm. Rehl, both of Millet. The bride was attended by her sister, Miss Adena Price, and Mr. Louis Rehl, a brother of the groom, was best man.

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**CHURCH OF ENGLAND, MILLET**  
Sunday, December 20—  
11 a.m.—Holy communion and sermon.  
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Rev. J. B. Howard, Minister  
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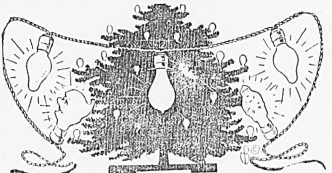
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NABOB COFFEE Per pound tin .... 65c	CHOICE TOMATOES 2½'s, 2 tins for ... 25c
FRY'S COCOA ½ lb. tin, each .... 27c	MIXED JAMS 4 lb pails, each ... 52c
CORN STARCH Per package .... 11c	SHELLED WALNUTS Per pound ..... 49c
Magic Baking Powder 12 oz. tins, each ... 27c	SHELLED ALMONDS Per pound ..... 65c
CORN FLAKES 3 packages for .... 29c	CHOICE DATES 3 pounds for ..... 35c
SHREDDED WHEAT Per package ..... 12c	KRAFT CHEESE Per pound pkg. .... 45c
Shredded Coconut Per pound ..... 29c	WAGNER APPLES Per crate ..... \$1.85
Choice Shoulder Roast Pork, per pound ... 20c	HOLLAND HERRING Per keg ..... 99c
Choice Shoulder Roast Beef, per pound ... 12c	Swifts' Shortening 5 lb pails, each .... 99c

## The Royal Market

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## EARLY MARRIAGES

Don't Marry Until You Have Had Your Playmate.

(By Dorothy Dix)

Miss Dix presents her viewpoint on early marriages as follows: "The other day a girl of eighteen, first a being what she called a 'married slave,' committed suicide. Investigation showed that her husband was a kindly, youngless man, as far removed as possible from being a domestic tyrant, and that the wife 'shaved' consisted merely in having to take care of her home and her baby.

But she rebelled against doing this. She didn't want to be tied down with a child. She loathed the cooking and sewing and mending and dusting and all household duties. She longed to be free to gad the streets and go joyriding with the other youngsters. She wanted to spend her evenings going to movies and jazzing in cabarets, instead of being a five-dollar companion to her husband or walking the floor. And because she couldn't devote all of her time to amusing herself, life was useless to her and she threw it away.

The tragedy of this poor, little, silly girl has two lessons in it, which

I commend to the consideration of all other flappers. The first lesson is a warning against the folly of early marriages.

The girl who marries too soon invariably wrecks her life. Not once in a hundred times does the early marriage turn out successfully. To begin with, the girl of 16, 17 or 18 has the unfurnished tastes of a child. She had no idea of what sort of a man she is going to want and admire when she is 25, than she has of what kind of a hat she is going to want. The boy who fires her fancy when she is a school girl bores her in years when she is a mature woman.

Practically no woman who failed to marry her first sweetheart ever meets him again without feeling like falling on her knees and thanking God for his marvellous escape. There is no use in saying that the girl who marries in her teens will be developed by her husband and grow into being just part of him. That is not true. A girl develops into what nature made her. Her heredity and early environment have settled that point, and it is sheer luck if she and her husband are congenial after she has grown up—generally they are not. Then the tragedy comes in, when the young wife has grown sick and tired of the man who was once her

girlish fancy, and she finds the man who is her real mate and with whom she falls in love with all the passion of her mature woman's heart.

The girl who marries too young is miserable and dissatisfied because she has not had her playtime. She is not ready to settle down. She wants to dance and frolic and have a good time. She wants the admiration of men, and if it is her reaching out after the pleasures of girlhood that she has no right to, as a married woman, that fills the world with quarrelling couples, and clogs up the dockets of the divorce courts.

They are more to be pitied than blamed, these poor young creatures, who have taken burdens upon themselves that their weak shoulders are not strong enough to bear; who are not old enough to have acquired a philosophy to meet their daily needs, and who are crushed by duties and responsibilities they are too immature to have assumed.

To the girl-mother, a baby is an unwelcome brat that interferes with her going to dances. Her home is a prison, her housework is a slavery. To the mature woman who has had her fill of playing, a baby is God's benediction on her womanhood, her home a place of devotion, her home a place of devotion.

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The second lesson is to realize that marriage is a working partnership, in which the wife must do her part just as much as the husband must do his. A lot of girls don't think of this. They think of marriage as being all beer and skittles for them. They think that it emancipates them from mamma's control or frees them from having to march the clock in a store or office, and that it gives them a free meal check and a shopping ticket for life.

They never think of the obligations it lays upon them or of any return that they must make to their husbands for all the good things it does for them. Nothing is more common than to hear women complaining about having to do their housework and of how troublesome their children are. They pose as martyrs to their families.

It does not seem to occur to them that they are merely doing their part in life, that they are only performing the duties they undertook when they got married. They work no harder than their husbands do, yet you rarely hear a man asking for the sympathy of the public because he has to toil to support his wife and children. Still less does he consider himself a slave and crow killing competition. Awards in this contest of life have been made, and checks amounting to a little short of \$3,000

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Having completed their tour of Canada as the guests of E. W. Beatty, chairman and president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, the ten British journalists left Canada early in October for England, to relate there the story of their experiences and to give their readers the impressions they have gained of the Dominion.

During the month of August 1,332 vessels, comprising 131 trans-Atlantic, 35 coasting and 966 inland steamers, entered the port of Montreal, there having a total net registered tonnage of 1,925,945, while in the same period 1,441 vessels went out, those representing 1,932,145 net registered ton. Since the opening of navigation 757 ocean-going vessels, representing 3,468,965 net tons, have entered the port, as compared with only 619, representing 2,280,072 net tons last year; these figures being up to the midnight of September 5th.

E. P. Nucrows, a well-known Chicago lawyer, had an amazing experience recently while staying at the Banff Springs Hotel and playing on the golf course there. His approach to the ninth hole was disrupted by a huge bull which tossed its antlers and stood pawing the ground with evident hostility as the lawyer prepared to play his ball. Mr. Nucrows was about to observe the better part of valor when the bull's attention was distracted by the appearance of a cow elk which made an effective substitute for the golfer and both animals disappeared into the neighboring bush.

Travelling in a five-passenger 1920 improved model Ford touring car from Halifax to Vancouver, J. L. S. Serpentine and E. Pickinger are performing a feat unique in the annals of motor travel in this country. From Franz, near Sault Ste. Marie, they travelled on the tracks of the Algonia Railroad to Port William, having been granted the use of the lines by the Canadian Pacific Railway. The whole run of about 4,500 miles took nearly eight weeks, and a series of still and moving pictures were taken en route to commemorate the adventure.

## MORIN TO HAVE A 500 MAJORITY OVER FAUTAU

Ottawa, Dec. 8.—The election of Bagot, steadfast in their fealty to the party of Blais and Laurier, have returned for the ninth successive time a Liberal member to parliament.

The result of the election makes it virtually certain that the Liberal government will carry on at Ottawa. Mr. G. O. Morin, according to the latest returns, will have a majority of nearly 500 over Hon. T. Fautau, the Conservative candidate.

The by-election was fought most strenuously both historic parties took the greatest care to submit their policies to the electorate, and both regarded it as a miniature general election. The results were received by the Liberal chiefs at Ottawa with genuine satisfaction. To them it means that Quebec is still soundly attached to Liberal principles, that despite their greatest exertions, the Conservatives cannot hope to impair the Liberals' strength in the ancient province.

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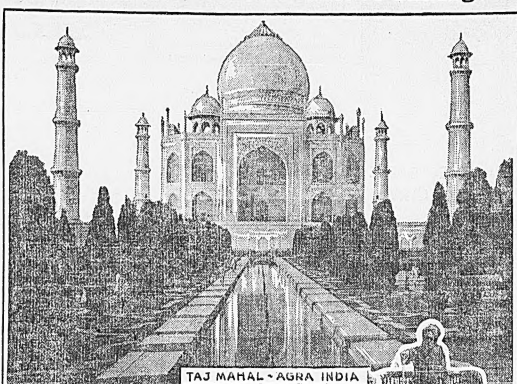
Having completed their tour of Canada as the guests of E. W. Beatty, chairman and president of the Canadian Pacific Railway, the ten British journalists left Canada early in October for England, to relate there the story of their experiences and to give their readers the impressions they have gained of the Dominion.

During the month of August 1,332 vessels, comprising 131 trans-Atlantic, 35 coasting and 966 inland steamers, entered the port of Montreal, there having a total net registered tonnage of 1,925,945, while in the same period 1,441 vessels went out, those representing 1,932,145 net registered ton. Since the opening of navigation 757 ocean-going vessels, representing 3,468,965 net tons, have entered the port, as compared with only 619, representing 2,280,072 net tons last year; these figures being up to the midnight of September 5th.

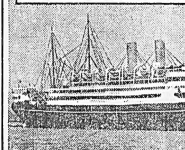
E. P. Nucrows, a well-known Chicago lawyer, had an amazing experience recently while staying at the Banff Springs Hotel and playing on the golf course there. His approach to the ninth hole was disrupted by a huge bull which tossed its antlers and stood pawing the ground with evident hostility as the lawyer prepared to play his ball. Mr. Nucrows was about to observe the better part of valor when the bull's attention was distracted by the appearance of a cow elk which made an effective substitute for the golfer and both animals disappeared into the neighboring bush.

Travelling in a five-passenger 1920 improved model Ford touring car from Halifax to Vancouver, J. L. S. Serpentine and E. Pickinger are performing a feat unique in the annals of motor travel in this country. From Franz, near Sault Ste. Marie, they travelled on the tracks of the Algonia Railroad to Port William, having been granted the use of the lines by the Canadian Pacific Railway. The whole run of about 4,500 miles took nearly eight weeks, and a series of still and moving pictures were taken en route to commemorate the adventure.

## "Don't You Hear The East A-calling?"



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The Immortal East has been the beginning of time created its fascination on the West. Color movement, mystery, strange creeds and stranger races; the cradle of civilizations with mighty monuments of the past to attest their reality; customs that are so old that they seem new; costumes that look as though their wearers had stepped out of some masquerade, and even no costumes at all; immense multitudes speaking strange languages; the whole making up into a picture that is so alluring, so utterly different, so incomprehensible to the Westerner that it seems as if he is still standing on another earth. Add to all this the fact that the North Temperate Zone of America is left thousands of miles behind and you step into the land of eternal summer, where you have the widest range of emotional and climatic change that this world has to offer.

This shedding of every-day usage and spectacle is provided by the "Round the World Cruise" of the Canadian Pacific liner Empress of Scotland which sails from New York, December 3rd next. For the following 128 days there is a never ending and shifting panorama of utterly new things presented to the passenger on this cruise. What he or she has before any road in books and seen in illustrations un-

rolls itself before the astonished eye. Thoroughly competent guides tell of the wonders of each place visited and conduct to every point of interest. There is no let-up in the continually changing novelties presented and the passenger stores up in the short period of four months enough memories to last a life time.

Some few of these are presented in the above illustration. The good ship Empress of Scotland is shown as it is just as it is. The long voyage comes that few in stone—the Taj Mahal—bathed in sunshine, the concrete proof of a mighty conquest and of a civilization that has passed, yet intact today as when it was first completed hundreds of years ago. Yet another scene is the bazaar of a small Indian city where the elephant that typifies India is seen kneeling to receive his master who is attired as a Rajah.

These are but a few high lights in a voyage that is crammed with new delights each day. If one were to undertake this voyage on his own initiative it would cost thousands of dollars and it is not at all likely that he could take in all that is offered on the Empress cruise in double the time. Further, he would certainly lose the atmosphere of luxury, efficiency and bonhomie which are the special characteristics of a voyage taken in common with men and women of his own class and outlook on life.

## Crows and Gophers Wage Losing Battle With Local Hunters

Some 300,000 fewer pests in Alberta than there were or would have been are now reported by the department of agriculture as the result of the 1925 gopher and crow killing competition. Awards in this contest of life have been made, and checks amounting to a little short of \$3,000

are being sent out to the winning contestants, who number about 21,200, considerably lower than in last year's competition, naturally as a result of the destruction then accomplished. The tabulation of the entries and awards has, however, taken longer than usual owing to irregularities in a number of the reports.

The total number of birds, animals and eggs destroyed are given as follows: crows and magpies, 28,774; crows' and magpies' eggs, 70,002;

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